

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
FORT MYERS DIVISION

SEAN WARD,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No.: 2:20-cv-100-FtM-38NPM

FORD MOTOR COMPANY,  
ENTERPRISE HOLDINGS LLC and  
MICHAEL GRIFFITH,

Defendants.

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**OPINION AND ORDER**<sup>1</sup>

Before the Court is Ford Motor Company's Response to Order to Show Cause and Supplement to Notice of Removal ([Doc. 7](#)). Ford presents evidence showing that Enterprise Holdings LLC—a defendant that destroys diversity—is not a proper party to this case. Ford suggests that Plaintiff Sean Ward intended to instead sue Enterprise Rent-A-Car Company and/or Enterprise Holdings, Inc., both Missouri corporations. If Ford is correct, Ward should amend his complaint to name the correct defendants. But if Ward has sued the correct parties, he should address the fraudulent joinder issue in a motion to remand.

Accordingly, it is now

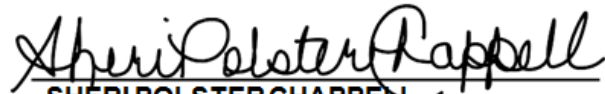
**ORDERED:**

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Plaintiff Sean Ward is **ORDERED** to do one of the following on or before **March 19, 2020**: (1) amend his complaint to name the correct defendants or (2) file a motion to remand.

**DONE** and **ORDERED** in Fort Myers, Florida this 5th day of March, 2020.

  
**SHERI POLSTER CHAPPELL**  
**UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**

Copies: All Parties of Record